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SUBJ: TRIANGULAR INVESTMENT MISSION TO THE ARAB NATION (TIMAN)

REF: A) TUNIS 6614; B) TUNIS 5998

1. MEMBERS OF TIMAN WILL BE US COMPANIES DIRECTLY INTERESTED IN INVESTMENT OF THEIR FUNDS IN TUNISIA AND OTHER COUNTRIES TO BE VISITED. HOPEFULLY PETRODOLLAR SOURCES WILL SUPPLEMENT AND MAGNIFY THE PROJECTS, PARTICULARLY THE LARGER, CAPITAL INTENSIVE PROJECTS, IE PHOSPHATE, SYNTHETIC FIBERS, CEMENT. TIMAN WILL INCLUDE, NO REPEAT NO, BROKERS OR MIDDLEMEN.

2. MOST MEMBERS OF MISSION WILL FALL INTO THE FOLLOWING LABOR INTENSIVE INDUSTRIES IDEALLY SUITED TUNISIA'S PRIORITIES; TEXTILES, ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLY, MECHANICS, FOOD PROCESSING, AGRICULTURE, LEATHER PRODUCTS. GOT WILL HAVE EXCELLENT CHANCE TO SELL ITS INVESTMENT CLIMATE TO COMPANIES WHICH CAN TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ITS TRAINABLE LABOR RESOURCES FOR EXPORT TO EEC. BY END OF NOVEMBER SELECTION OF MISSION MEMBERSHIP WILL BE COMPLETE SO THAT TUNISIA CAN SEND INFORMATION ON PROJECTS IT BELIEVES WILL INTEREST THE COMPANIES. SINCE MISSION IS GOING TO FIVE COUNTRIES, NOT ALL MEMBERS WILL BE PRIMARILY INTERESTED IN ANY ONE COUNTRY. BIRD WILL BRING LIST OF THE
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200 COMPANIES TO WHICH INVITATIONS WILL BE SENT. EMBASSY AND

GOT CAN SUGGEST WHICH COMPANIES IN WHICH IT HAS GREATEST INTEREST.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY MEETING BIRD AT AIRPORT AND EXPEDITING HIS CONFERENCE SCHEDULE. WILL CONFIRM BY LATER CABLE ANY CHANGE IN TIME OF ARRIVAL.
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